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New replacement name for the genus *Longitergus* Pham, Bai, Heiss & Cai, 2013 (Hemiptera: Heteroptera: Aradidae)

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The flat bug genus *Longitergus* was established by Pham, Bai, Heiss & Cai (2013) with two species: *L. productus* and *L. similis* from Vietnam and with *L. productus* as its type species. Unfortunately, the name *Longitergus* Pham, Bai, Heiss & Cai (2013) was preoccupied by *Longitergus* Wang (1993), a subgenus *Yezoceryx* (*Longitergus*) Wang, 1993 in Ichneumonidae (Hymenoptera: Ichneumonoidea) based on type species *Yezoceryx breviclypeus* Wang, 1982 from China. Thus, the genus *Longitergus* Pham, Bai, Heiss & Cai, 2013 is a junior homonym of the subgenus *Yezoceryx* (*Longitergus*) Wang, 1993. According to Article 60 of the International Code of Zoological Nomenclature, I propose for *Longitergus* Pham, Bai, Heiss & Cai, 2013 the new replacement name *Neolongitergus* **nom. nov.** Accordingly, two new combinations are herein proposed for the flat bug species currently included in this genus: *Neolongitergus productus* (Pham, Bai, Heiss & Cai, 2013) and *Neolongitergus similis* (Pham, Bai, Heiss & Cai, 2013).

Genus *Neolongitergus* **nom. nov.**

Longitergus Pham, Bai, Heiss & Cai, 2013: 557 (Hemiptera: Aradoidea: Aradidae). Preoccupied by *Longitergus* Wang, 1993: 204 (Hymenoptera: Ichneumonoidea: Ichneumonidae). **Type species:** *Longitergus productus* Pham, Bai, Heiss & Cai, 2013

Etymology. From the preexisting name *Longitergus*, the prefix “Neo-” from the Greek “*neos*” meaning new; gender masculine.

Summary of nomenclatural changes

Neolongitergus **new replacement name** = *Longitergus* Pham, Bai, Heiss & Cai, 2013 (nec Wang, 1993)

Neolongitergus productus (Pham, Bai, Heiss & Cai, 2013) **comb. nov.** = *Longitergus productus* Pham, Bai, Heiss & Cai, 2013

Neolongitergus similis (Pham, Bai, Heiss & Cai, 2013) **comb. nov.** = *Longitergus similis* Pham, Bai, Heiss & Cai, 2013

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